

## Foothills Health Dist.

Nurses continue with school examinations, baby clinics, and all routine services

Although Dr. A. Somerville, former Medical Health Officer of the Foothills' district, left last June for Edmonton, the staff has been carrying on with all services which they are qualified to maintain. Before Dr. Somerville left he completed a program of immunization which had been started in the schools in September, 1941. Every school in the district was visited and all children given opportunity to receive diphtheria inoculations and smallpox vaccinations. An effort was made to contact pre-school age also, and for the first time in the history of the unit a definite effort was made to re-enforce the immunity of children who had been inoculated or vaccinated more than five years ago. Most of the immunization since the Medical Health Officer left has been the discontinuance of regular adult clinics. But efforts have been centred on child welfare. Attendance at baby clinics compares very favorably with that of previous years. Nanton and Vulcan baby clinics show increase in attendance.

Home Nursing classes were started in the district last March. In larger centres this was in co-operation with the Red Cross. The district was fortunate in having many trained nurses to call on and they gave freely of their time in training groups. Some groups failed to report on attendance and on those eligible for certificates so any data is based only on those who sent in final reports. There were, according to these, 743 women enrolled, with 476 receiving certificates. 29 groups were organized.

### Staff Members

On the Health Unit staff are Dr. H. W. Soby, acting M.O.H.; Miss McCune, R.N., B.Sc.; Miss Folinsbee, R.N., P.H.N.; Mrs. A. Evans, secretary; J. C. Mooney, sanitary inspector; F. L. Watt, board secretary.

Contributing units in 1942 were M. D. Royal, M.D. Riley, L.L.D. 160, M.D. Dinton, M. D. Stockland, High River, Vulcan, Nanton, Black Diamond, Turner Valley, Blackie, Cayley, Turner Valley, S.D., Parkland S.D., Elite S.D., Okotoks town and rural.

Estimated population is 16,577 though this does not represent any of the increased population due to airports. Area is 1,885 miles, and the pupils of all grades number 3,613.

Total receipts for the year 1942 were \$11,453, including \$5,230 by local taxation; \$5,500 government grant and \$723 balance from previous year. Expenditures included salaries \$7,263; transportation \$1,906; dental service \$582; supplies \$244; insurance \$140; petty cash account \$662; leaving a balance of \$653 on hand. Actual operating cost was about 64 cts. per head.

### Communicable Diseases

One case only of infantile paralysis occurred in the unit in 1942. There was one case of meningitis and one of typhoid.

The more common communicable diseases have been prevalent through the district. Mumps was an epidemic of High River, and it was difficult to get co-operation in reporting cases and control. Whooping cough was prevalent in Turner Valley district, and though for the most part mild, one death resulted.

### T. B. Clinics

In June the T.B. clinic from Calgary Sanatorium visited High River and Vulcan as central points. At this clinic 40 patients were examined and 24 old patients re-examined. Four active cases were found.

In 1942 there were 2,292 doses of diphtheria inoculations and 637 reinforcements. There were 997 vaccinations and 517 re-vaccinations. There were 373 doses of scarlet fever inoculations and 716 doses of whooping cough vaccine.

### Children Examined

The figures on school children are based on the examinations of the doctor the first half of the year and the nurse during the second. Quite a proportion of the schools had their regular examination in the latter part of 1941. During 1942, there were 1,193 children examined of whom 433 were without defect. There were 760 of these with defects.

It was found that 461 had defective teeth, and there have been 441 corrections of this condition. There were 133 with defective vision, and 54 have had this corrected. 24 were over weight and 2 have had this corrected. There were 31 with skin trouble and

## SOCIAL EVENING HELD AT BERRYWATER

On Friday evening, March 26th, Mr. James Dann, Wheat Pool delegate for district B6 and Mr. McKenzie, Pool field man from head office, Calgary, addressed a well attended meeting at the Berrywater school.

Mr. Dann dealt with the improved financial condition and routine of the Pool, also the Pool convention, while Mr. McKenzie stressed that next to the work of the elevators, the most important phase of the Pool activities was in connection with the Canadian Federation of Agriculture and the Union-Wheat Clubs. The activities of the latter are somewhat curtailed at the present time owing to enlistment of the younger generation in the armed forces.

He also said that there appeared to be more unity among the various agricultural organizations in the U.S.A. than in Canada.

Following the speeches, Mr. McKenzie showed two reels of moving pictures, a comic, and one dealing with a power project in Quebec and Ontario.

Upon the conclusion of this part of the programme, the chairman, Mr. Donald Smith, proposed a hearty vote of thanks for the speeches.

The ladies of the U.F.W.A. then took over and staged a short entertainment comprised of the following numbers: Community singing; a piano solo by Miss M. Noble; recitation by Master Harold Mensinger; step dance and duet by the Misses Marjorie Love and Mary Douglas; duet by Masters Elwood and Harold Mensinger.

Mrs. J. Gerding and Mrs. Ed. Richardson kindly acted as accompanists.

At the conclusion of the program a chili supper was served after which bingo was played. The winners were: Ladies, Mrs. M. Love and Mrs. Ed. Richardson; gents, Master Russell Smith and Mrs. P. J. Haslam.

During the evening an afghan and pillow were raffled the winner being Mrs. B. Banks, Vulcan. Mrs. W. Oldfield also won a carving set.

Half the proceeds of the raffle go to the Vulcan Red Cross.

The evening concluded with a dance, music being supplied by Mrs. Ed. Richardson and Lee Richardson.

The thanks of the Berrywater U.F.W.A. is tendered to all who took part in the programme and enabled a pleasant evening to be enjoyed by everyone present.

There was a fine attendance of members present at the regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion on Thursday evening. Two new members were initiated and one application for membership. Many letters and cards of appreciation were read from the boys overseas for cigarettes sent them. A letter from Bill Monkman also acknowledged receipt of the January parcels.

Final plans were discussed for holding of the Aid to Russia dance next Wednesday night, and also packing of the box of quilts and clothing on Thursday for bombed-out victims in England. Parcels for overseas will be packed on Thursday, April 8th at 2 p.m. and it is hoped members will make a real effort to assist in this work. Members are urged to be punctual for meetings, to enable us to have a short social period afterwards.

The Airwives' Club held an "Add-a-dish-luncheon" at the home of Mrs. Macaulay on Wednesday, March 24th.

During the afternoon a number of piano solos were played and enjoyed by all. Singing and quiz contests completed the afternoon's entertainment. The Club is selling tickets this week on their afghan, the money to be donated to prisoners of war food parcels.

There were 125 baby clinics held in 1942 with 505 babies examined. There were also 844 pre-school children examined.

Supply and distribution of milk in the Turner Valley area has been a problem for the Sanitary Inspector. Stores and restaurants have been handling the milk. The inspector has checked on supply depots and has in some instances had new refrigerators installed, suitable for handling milk.

Fletcher Bros. of Brant have installed a pasteurizing plant to serve the Vulcan airport and school. High River Creamery has been pasteurizing milk since December 1940. There are 19 dairies in the district, and there have been 97 inspections.

Other sanitary inspections have been regularly made by Mr. Mooney to restaurants, butcher shops, slaughter houses, private premises, etc.



ROMMEL'S ABORTIVE DRIVE IN EGYPT. WRECKAGE OF THE GERMAN RETREAT

Fighting in the Western Desert died down after the defeat of General Rommel's drive on the British positions but the area was still strewn with the wreckage of battle. Picture shows the battlefield after the Axis forces had been driven back to their lines, showing guns being recovered in the background and a British soldier examining a knocked-out enemy tank in the foreground.

## M. D. VULCAN MEETS

On Thursday, March 25th, the council of the new Municipal District of Vulcan re-convened for a continuation of the meeting held March 11th.

A motion was passed by the council to pay accounts once a month.

Following this, a letter was read from the O.C. of No. 2 F.L.S. assuring the council that the road to the airport would be maintained by the airfield as well as possible.

A delegation of ratepayers from the old M.D. of Marquis, headed by Mr. Bertram, interviewed the council and presented a petition to them to keep the Milo municipal office open with Mr. Hyndman in charge to look after business of the new District of Vulcan and Blackie. This plan was also to be presented to the M.D. of Blackie at their next meeting. The Vulcan council will give further consideration to this matter after it has been presented to the Blackie council.

A motion was passed to supply strychnine for gopher poison to all farmers in the district free of charge, the amount being one ounce for each half section.

After considering the 1943 estimates, the matter of setting the mill rates was left until next month.

A motion was also passed to transfer the sum of \$2000.00 from the general account to the doctors' account in view of the amount of money turned over by the old district of Harmony, to assist in financing the cost of the municipal doctors' contract, which is operating in that part of the municipality comprising the old Municipal District of Harmony.

Set rates of pay for public works labor were passed at 50c per hour for ordinary labor; 60c per hour for foreman; 125c per hour for a horse; digging not to exceed 70c per mile; rate of pay for a grader foreman was set at 90c per hour; engineer 80c per hour; and the second grader man, 70c per hour.

Two readings were given the new Domestic Animals By-law prohibiting all domestic animals from running at large in the whole of the municipal district, during the year.

In conclusion a motion was passed to apply to the Minister of Public Works for road grants for 1943.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lang were Calgary visitors the first of the week.

Miss Leona Brown of LaVerna, Saskatchewan, is visiting at the home of Mrs. K. Carnegie.

Mrs. D. DeFreese was a week-end visitor in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walker and son, Jimmie, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bond of Champlain.

Mrs. George Todd was a recent Calgary visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Short and family of Lethbridge were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Todd.

Mr. Albert Markert was a Calgary visitor on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Todd were business visitors to Nanton last week.

Mr. J. Lebert and L. Lebert were week-end visitors in Calgary.

Tommy started his apprenticeship in the old Times' office in 1913, working for a couple of years. Then in 1915 he enlisted at the age of 17 years. He suffered leg wounds in action in 1916, and spent the next three years receiving hospitalization for those wounds. He was the first High Riverite to return from overseas, and was given a great welcome. His return home fell on his 20th birthday, his fighting days over.

Early in 1920 he started again at the bottom of the printing trade, working first in the office of the Vulcan Advocate. His leg continued to give him difficulty, so he learned the linotype work to ease the strain on his feet. (Sixteen major operations and a long string of minors were the toll of that war wound, punctuating the years.) 1923 he came back to The Times' office and in 1925 took over the linotype and from then on, that's where he's to be found. He and his linotype roll out the news and the ads, week after week, year after year. They have their disagreements, but they can't get along without each other, and certainly Times' subscribers can't get along without them.

"Press day" is the old challenge to Tommy. The paper has to get out some hell or high water. Sometimes, sweating with pain from that old leg wound, he has stuck with the machine till the last stick of copy was tapped out, and not till it was all over, would he admit he'd better quit.

Of course that sort of thing is just "office family" stuff. But the interests of the office have always come first with him, regardless of everything. He attempts to hold the rest of the staff down in the amount of copy he is humanly capable of setting up, but with varying success. Sometimes he wins, often he loses. It's all just a part of press day fever, forgotten once the paper is out.

Times' office bonds are pretty strong, and Mr. Clark appreciates well what Tommy's faithful, steady service has meant to the stability and harmony of the office. Probably 25 years from now he will still be at the linotype, tapping out the neighborhood doings of March 24, 1968. Here's hoping!

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## ADVOCATE CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE—20 run Single Disc Cockshutt Drill, in good condition. Apply D. O. Jantzie, 1 1/2 miles north of Vulcan on Highway. 33-2-p

FOR SALE—No. 1 Seed Oats, Contro Certificate No. 72-4640, 40c per bus. uncleaned; 96% germination. Apply David B. Sims, R.R. 2 Vulcan. 32-3-p

FOR SALE—McCormick Deering Tractor, 22-36; also Massey Harris 28 run drill double disc, good condition. 34-2 p Apply A. Sokvitne

FOR SALE—3 Nanny Goats, two milking. Apply Jerry Walker, Ensign Phone 305 34-3-o

FOR SALE—Registered Wheat, Red Bobs, First germination seed. \$1.00 per bushel. Apply Dan McNiven or phone R404 Vulcan. 3-3-c

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, no buttons. 5c per pound. The Vulcan Advocate.

## THE BARGAIN STORE

Miracle Stock and Poultry Feeds. Second-hand Furniture and Stoves. Apply M. O. Peterson. 38-UFN

## AUCTION SALE

Last Saturday of every month. Bring your offerings in before noon of sale date. You are as sure of getting Massey Harris repairs in High River as you are in Calgary. Exactly same prices. Col. Hitchner, Auctioneer, Massey Harris Agent, phone 175, High River.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of SYLVESTER MUHICH, late of Ensign, in the Province of Alberta, Labourer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims on the Estate of Sylvester Muhich, who died on the 3rd day of December A.D. 1942, are required to file with the undersigned Administratrix of his estate, by the 30th day of May, 1943, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them and that after that date the Administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to her knowledge.

DATED at Vulcan, Alberta, this 15th day of March A.D., 1943.

L. H. STACK, K.C.  
Solicitor for Karolina Fischer

At present moment the department of National Defense is very anxious to bolster C.W.A.C. recruitments. Enlist now to obtain immediate training and relieve men for active service.

## SERMONETTE

By Rev. A. E. Ruark

"But as many as received Him (Christ) to them gave He the right to become children of God." (John 1:12).

Here are legal grounds whereby we may become children of God by God's arrangement. His proposition is put before us—the right to become a child of God on condition that we RECEIVE Christ.

What does this mean? We take Christ for what He really is, that is, a personal sinner and Lord. If you have not done so, take your sin to Him and give Him the control of your life; take Him into the everyday affairs of life and let Him be Lord (governor).

We are certain on the authority of God's written word that we are made a child of God when we act on this proposition.

"He that hath the Son hath life; and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life." (1 John 1:12).

## Church Notes

## UNITED CHURCH

Morning worship 11 o'clock, The Life of Christ. Communion following. 12 o'clock the church school. Were you there last time? 7:30 evening worship. 7-8 Tuesday evening, Communicants' class. 8-9 Regular Young People's meeting. 7-8 Wednesday, junior choir practice. 8-9 Wednesday, senior choir practice.

At the close of Sunday evening service and under the auspices of the Soldiers' and Airmen's Christian Association, a fireside hour service was held in the United church. Mr. Pike opened the meeting and asked Mr. Ruark to explain the work of the Association. The varied items were given entirely by the airmen themselves, all of which were of value and helpfulness. At the close the ladies of the United Church served refreshments. There were more than fifty persons present, all of whom enjoyed the evening.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible school 10:30 a.m.; Lord's Supper and preaching 11:30 a.m. Evening service at 7:30; Young People's 8:30. Prayer meeting and Bible study at 8 on Wednesday.

## How To Treat Your Doctor

If emergencies arise, call him at any hour. If no emergency exists, call him at proper hours. Try to see him at his regular office hours. This will accommodate you and him. When possible, send in requests for home visits before 11:00 a.m. Don't demand his time when he is at meals.

Unless necessary, don't make demands on his hours allotted to sleep. Don't nurse your ailments all day and then call him after he has gone to bed.

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Physicians are made of the same material as their patients, and so require rest, food, sleep and time for study and proper recreation. The rested doctor will give you better advice than one who is overworked. —From the Ontario Medical Association Bulletin.

\$640,000 is provided in the Ottawa estimates to construct a short wave broadcasting station to be established at Sackville, N.B.

The Alberta legislature voted 27 to 21 to forward a resolution to the Dominion government seeking cancellation of federal restrictions on beer sales. All party lines were broken in this vote.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who so graciously showed their sympathy and understanding during our recent bereavement of the late Mrs. Mary Bittorf To Dr. Almond, the nurses, and the hospital staff we especially extend our deepest gratitude for services rendered, Grandma Bittorf's Family

The U.S. coffee ration is to be 1 pound for 5 weeks per person, a boost over the present pound for six weeks.

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## PLEASE SIGN YOUR NAME TO NEWS CONTRIBUTIONS

The Advocate frequently receives news reports by mail. Many of these contributions are not signed by the contributor, and consequently are not acceptable for publication until the facts can be verified. This is often very difficult and in every case causes unnecessary work. We are anxious and willing to publish all local news of interest coming to our attention, but we have found it necessary to abide by our rule of insisting that all contributions of news must be signed. Frequently unsigned articles are not based on fact and are sent to newspapers, sometimes to embarrass other parties and sometimes in the spirit of fun. A newspaper, however, attempts to record facts and is not interested in publishing false reports. For this reason, the rule above referred to has been adopted by all reliable newspapers and is strictly adhered to by The Advocate.

More than 50,000 tons of bombs have been dropped by the R.A.F. bomber command on Germany, Italy and occupied countries in the last 12 months.

Saskatchewan municipal representatives have asked the Dominion government to put the whole province under the prairie rehabilitation act instead of the southern drought zones.

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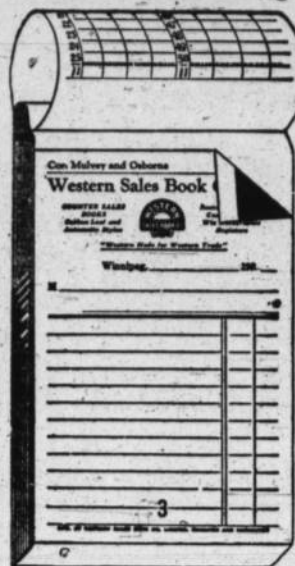
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## Higher Prices In 1920 After War

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- 3 You can continue to place out your Fats and Bones for collection by your Street Cleaning Department where such a system is in effect.

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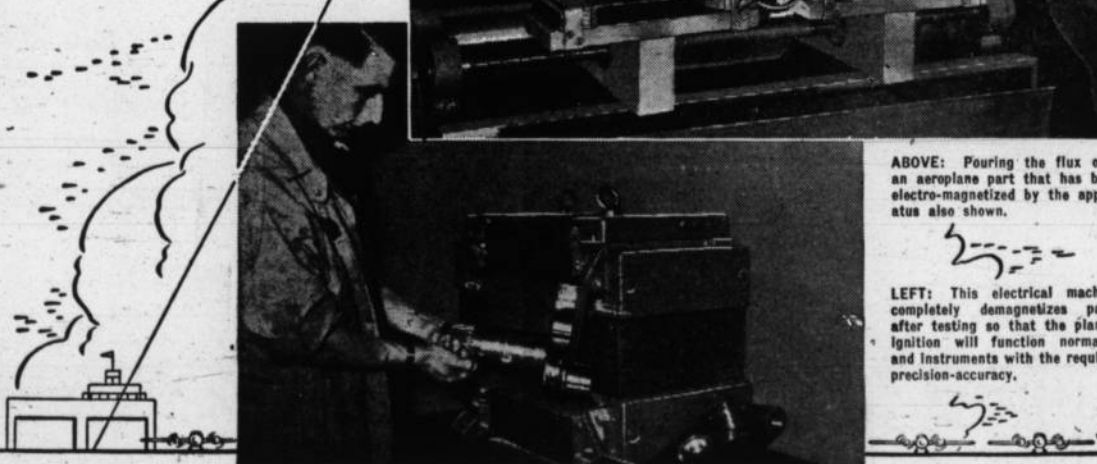
NATIONAL SALVAGE DIVISION

THEY ARE URGENTLY NEEDED FOR EXPLOSIVES

Pierre Laval is said to be considering closing all French universities, and sending students to Germany to work in Nazi war industries. Great disorders are reported from France.

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## Russian Record And Aid to Russia

In 1928 Bolshevik Delegates Pressed Geneva For Total Disarmament. From 1934 to 1938 Hewed to the Line at Geneva

Extracts from an address by Mack Eastman of University of Saskatchewan on "Aid to Russia," are given below. The speaker gives a background of pre-war Russian history, and records Russian stand within the League of Nations. In the latter part he answers certain questions which rise. In any world settlement, organized for lasting peace, the question "Can we trust the Soviet?" may be countered with "Can the Soviet trust us?"

"We are bound for twenty years to Russia. This is the significance of the Anglo-Soviet treaty of last June. Let this solemn pledge be faithfully kept and the chances of world stabilization will be good. Let us begin worrying again about balance of power and everything will disintegrate once more. Stalin lays it down that the principal pillars of the future temple of peace are to be Anglo-Soviet-American. Note the order. He places the Soviet Union snugly in between, not on an outer flank. Thus Germany lies between Britain and Russia, while Japan lies between Russia and United States."

Touching briefly on the development of the brilliantly led Communist party in Russia which outran Karl Marx, the speaker says: "Lenin was endowed with common sense as well as with doctrine and intellect, finding that human nature, poisoned by centuries of oppression, was unready for pure Communism. Capitalist neighbors must be conciliated, and the ideal of world revolution placed in cold storage. Trotsky was still for world revolution, but Stalin and his hand-picked bureaucracy were for 'Socialism in one country.' In the bitter struggle, Stalin won and his adversaries went into exile to 'repent or conspire. Some crept back to conspire against the Kremlin, and even, said accusers, against the Soviet Union. Their tragic fate in the great purges, makes a weird and terrible tale."

"Meanwhile Stalin had been forcing practical politics at a ruthless pace. In 1928, at Geneva, the Bolshevik delegates astounded the world with a proposal for total and immediate disarmament. The other delegates laughed in derision saying 'What is the game? The Muscovites know we can't disarm entirely if only for fear of German potentials.'"

"The Kremlin's answer was ready: It spoke to the Soviet people. 'Now you know that Capitalist society is plotting against us. The U.S.S.R. covers one-sixth the earth's surface, but it is a vast fortress beleaguered on all sides by envious and unscrupulous foes. On with the five-year plan!'"

Development of the successive five-year plans is described in their industrial magnitude and agricultural collectivism.

**International Scene**

"By 1934 Hitler's real program was clear to the Russians and the French. They understood Mein Kampf, and called it The Cannibal's Bible. In September 1934, France brought the Soviet into full membership of the League of Nations. Japan and Germany had gone out therefore the Soviet thought it wise to come in. Lenin used to scoff at the League as a lair of brigands, but by 1934 Stalin saw that the big bad wolves were on Russia's eastern and western flanks, while only harmless sheep huddled at Geneva. The sheep had a sacred parchment known as the Covenant, which if faithfully worshipped would save them from wolfish aggressors. This parchment was now in tatters, but the Soviet thought there was still time to patch it and unfurl it again as the League's banner."

"The part played by Russia at Geneva is an interesting story. It appeared to me that from 1934 to '38 Litvinov was hewing straight to the line. Constantly and vigorously he urged member states to live up to their pledges under the Covenant, especially those which bound us to stand together against aggression. Russians took up the French thesis that the League must have power behind it and that peace was one and indivisible. Alas too late! By 1935 France was desperately short of men, sunk in a slough of economic depression, too weak to give or follow a strong lead. In successive crises affecting Abyssinia, Spain, China in 1937, and Czechoslovakia in 1938, Soviet spokesmen challenged member states, especially Britain and France to rouse themselves and fulfil their solemn obligations to the victims of aggression."

"Unfortunately most of the members were so obsessed by fear of Communism that whatever the Soviet proposed was sure to be rejected. As a rule Litvinov was seconded only by such countries as China, Mexico, Republican Spain and New Zealand under its Labor government."

"Naturally Russia was not invited to Munich. Otherwise Hitler and Mussolini would not have come."

"After Munich Stalin feared a combination against the Soviet, and abandoned the League and its principles. When support was promised to Poland he was skeptical, announcing publicly that he would not pull other people's chestnuts out of the fire, even charging western powers with egging on the Nazis against Russia. The Stalin-Hitler pact scandalized the world, but we could offer little. The Nazis offered everything. The seiz-

ure of East Poland and Baltic States scandalized it further. And aggression against Poland gave even the moribund League energy to expel the latest aggressor. But Russia had succeeded in throwing her frontiers farther west from Moscow. The succeeding disasters (collapse of France, etc.) roused Russians to a paroxysm of energy. Hitler realized that he must strike first or be lost."

"Then the greatness of Churchill's diplomatic leadership was shown in his instant offer of loyal alliance to the Soviet Union he had so often criticized. To that genial stroke we owe our present assurance of victory. In saving themselves the Soviet are saving the world."

### Honest Doubts

Referring to honest doubts which rise, Dr. Eastman quotes the words on the walls of the Kremlin that religion is the opiate of the peoples. Russians found Altar and Throne allied against them and struck both down together. We can hardly re-Christianize them by boycott and abuse."

"You ask if they have not destroyed the family? In the first wild years of revolution the family did seem in peril. Today the family is the fountain of their lives."

"You say we have opposing economic views, but with Russia swinging slowly to the right and Britain gently to the left we should be within hailing distance at the finish."

"And what of propaganda? That is the work of the Comintern. In the past the Kremlin encouraged it against the enemies of the Union. Stalin assures us it will not work against Russia's friends."

### What of the Future?

"A world war means a world settlement, once again the opportunity of organizing lasting peace. Mighty Russia will be for us or against. If you ask 'Can we trust them?' I ask 'Can they trust us?' If we are wholeheartedly loyal their budding trust will grow into full blossom. But if we are secretly hoping to drop them once we have used them, if instead of pooling our separate strengths in a true world commonwealth, we seek to return to outworn and baneful balance of power, then, believe me, they will drop us first, and we shall richly deserve our fate. We need them even more than they need us, potentially they are stronger than we."

Bob Edwards  
"Eye Opener"

Gullible Calgary. Musical Calgary. The estimable old gentleman arrested in church, and for why.

Most of our tragedies look like comedies to our neighbors.

George Labell has been out at Harry Baines' ranch erecting a chateau on Bill Morgan's homestead. The Chateau Morgan will need a housewarming soon.

It is laughable the way Calgary takes complete strangers to its bosom. If you want to get into society you must be a stranger with no local antecedents. If you want to tap the banks on shaky security you must be a stranger with a smooth flow of conversation. To be familiarly known through several years' residence in Calgary is fatal.

### Culture in Calgary

"The Fairies' Spring" a cantata, was produced by Calgary talent at the Calgary Opera House last week, followed by a concert, also local talent. The music was confined to British composers. Part First was sung by the ladies, and Part Two by gentlemen exclusively. As there was no electric or other kind of light to lighten the Gentiles, the audience sat throughout the performance in utter darkness unable to read their programs or to witness signs of distress. Several people were observed striking matches to look at their watches, in hopes the — thing would end soon. If British composers cannot turn out anything better than these Calgary folks were able to gleam, they should confine their efforts to composing new cries for London street vendors."

### Arrested in Church

At a certain local church an aged usher, to save the exertion of continually marching up and down the aisle to conduct persons to their seats, used to take a stand in the centre of the church and when any incomers appeared, beckoned to them and conducted them to a seat.

The kids of the neighborhood, knowing his peculiarity, used to pop their heads inside the church door and mimic his actions by beckoning to him. Many times he tried to catch them, and one Sunday morning nearly did so. But the boy rushed away from the church and ran into the arms of a policeman.

"What have you been up to?" asked the policeman.

"Oh sir," cried the boy, "there's a disturbance at the church, and they sent me to fetch a policeman."

"Very good," said the officer, "I'll step in and see about it."

So he opened the door at the west end of the church and taking off his helmet, entered.

The aged usher then escorted him to a seat next to an old gentleman.

Immediately he was seated he touched the old gentleman and said "Come with me."

The old gentleman whispered back "What do you mean?"

Officer: "You know what I mean, and I don't want no back talk. Come

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quiet, or I'll have to take you by force."

Old Gentleman: "I really don't understand you."

Officer: "Look here, we don't want no disturbance. You've been kicking up quite enough, and I'm going to have you out quick."

By this time the congregation was looking at the pair and wondering what was the matter, so the old gentleman said: "Very well, I have not made any disturbance but to save trouble I will go with you."

So together to the wonderment of the congregation they marched up the aisle.

When they passed out of the church the usher followed them, and the policeman turning to him, said:

"Now then you have to make your charge." "Charge?" asked the usher. "There ain't no charge. All the seats are free."

**Dividing up a crop. Celebration in Okotoks, Great Triumphant Arch. The tragedy of broken vows in romantic village of Hootch**

July 1902

Whose Crop Is It?

A farmer leased a field to a farm hand and the rental was to be one-fourth of the crop raised. Harvest time came in due course but the farmer was amazed to find he had got nothing. The tenant hauled three loads of produce to his own barn, but there was nothing left for the farmer. Of course he remonstrated. "Here," he said, "How's this? Wasn't I to get one-fourth of the crop?" "Sure you were," answered the tenant, "but, hang it, there were only three loads."

Celebrating in Okotoks

Last Monday the following ladies and gentlemen of High River went up to Okotoks to take in the alleged festivities of Orangemen's day—Mrs. McCarthy, Miss Fitzpatrick, Mrs.

Johnson, Miss Heslip, Misses Gussie and Georgie Heslip, Arthur Brown, F. Denaway, Harry Robertson, W. Todd. The dance was a successful affair, and so was the baseball game between Nanton and Okotoks, with Okotoks defeated of course. The rest of the program was slightly on the pork. The races were off color. The god of booze as usual shed his benign countenance over proceedings. The Indians were dissatisfied with their purses which were of the two-bit variety. Our own Chickney won three races and got \$1.50. They sure do the Indians up-brown at Okotoks.

The triumphal arch was said to be quite a sight. It consisted of two sticks rammed into the ground and a crosspiece inscribed "God Save Lineham's Legs." This created a profound impression. On the south side of the crosspiece was a hand pointing to the hotels with "This way for what you want." All of which gave Okotoks a very arch appearance.

### Long Journey

A soldier while away on furlough had gone and got married. On the journey back to the barracks at Calgary, he gave the conductor his marriage certificate in mistake for his travel ticket. The conductor studied it carefully and then said "Yes, my boy, you've got a ticket for a long wearisome journey but not on the C.P.R."

A short time ago 1200 lbs. of sugar was taken from a warehouse truck at Claresholm. No clue yet to the whereabouts of the thieves. It is thought maybe some moonshiners needed it.

A large new crude oil producer, Northwest Hudson's Bay 12, has been brought in in the south end of Turner Valley. It has produced 1680 barrels a day on test, making it one of the largest wells in the field.

## Nine Hour Day For Women Employees

Another Requirement of Board of Industrial Relations Restricting Freedom of Action of Employers

In connection with last week's report of the meeting re 9 p.m. Saturday closing, an important point was not touched upon in the report. This is that women employees, under regulations of the Board of Industrial Relations, are restricted to a 9 hour day of labor. Since there are a large number of women employed in various places of business, this ruling further restricts freedom of the employer in respect to business hours. No male employee must exceed 10 hours of work in any one day; no woman employee must exceed 9 hours. To conform to these regulations in places which are already under-staffed because of labor shortage, takes much more planning than is generally realized.

One farmer, considering the whole vexatious question in philosophic spirit, says that the rigid regulations respecting employees and labor look to him like a pretty nice "out" for the farmers. Since governments enforce limits on hours of service in the towns this in turn imposes a limit on hours of labor on the farms. Rural people will have to observe shorter hours of labor in order to get their week-end shopping done. Governments force it upon them. So why not accept the ruling and get a little enjoyment out of it. Quit work earlier on Saturday afternoons. Any disorganization of the farm program is thus the responsibility of the governments, not the farmer. In fact, he goes farther and wonders what would happen if the farms took to observing a sort of Saturday half-holiday—as far as animals would allow.

## School Holidays To Help Farmers

Premier Aberhart, minister of education, introduced a bill in the Alberta Legislature Friday to have all school vacations start July 1 this year and extend into October to make teachers and students available for harvesting duties on Alberta farms.

After this year, schools will remain open during July and holidays begin on Aug. 1. The bill also provides teachers shall be paid their salaries in 12 equal monthly instalments, beginning with their salary for the month of September.

The bill also provides for elimination of certain holidays so as to make up the time lost through the extended summer vacation.

It provides that Easter holidays usually of 10 days, be eliminated and in 1944, Easter Monday will be the only vacation of that period. It also takes from local schools board the power to grant holidays on Ash Wednesday, the King's Birthday, Labor Day, Arbor Day and other specially designated holidays throughout the year.

After the 1943 summer vacation from July 1 to Oct. 10, summer holidays will be from Aug. 1 to the day immediately preceding the second Monday in October.

For the purposes of school business operation, the bill provides that the school year begin on March 1 and Feb. 1 following and shall be divided into two terms ending Aug. 31 and Feb. 28, respectively. The former will be known as the June term and the latter as the December term.

It is estimated that between 20,000 and 25,000 boys of high school age will be made available throughout the province for agricultural and other seasonal work by passage of the bill.



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## Brief Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Naaman Budd are being congratulated on the recent birth of a daughter.

Arthur Scott has left to go into training in the R.C.N.

Friends of Mrs. Janzen will be sorry to learn that she received word recently of the death of her father at Regina.

Bob Longelle of Calgary, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Lou Roskin of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. L. Christenson of Staveley spent Sunday at the O. A. Craig home.

Lac, D. J. Fox was a guest for two days of Mr. and Mrs. R. Todd.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Oldheiser recently, a son.

The April meeting of the Vulcan W. I. has been canceled and Mrs. A. Sales will entertain for the May meeting.

Mrs. Florence Richards of Nottingham, England has arrived here to spend the summer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wylie. Mrs. Richards has visited at the Wylie home before and has many acquaintances in the district.

Mrs. C. Kettleton and sons, Jim and Stan who are spending the winter in Calgary, motored home on Friday.

AC Kenneth Ferguson who is in training at Moosebank, Sask., spent a short leave in town last week-end.

Mrs. B. D. Lockhart was called to Calgary last week owing to the illness of a relative.

Mr. D. C. Jones of Calgary was a business visitor to town last week.

Friends of Mr. John Hanna will be sorry to learn he was taken to Calgary the first of the week to receive medical treatment.

Gail Atkinson spent a short leave at his home here before leaving for Quebec City where he will be stationed, with the R.C.A.F.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Armstrong of Lomond, a son, recently.

Friends of the former Miss Edith Love will regret to learn of the death of her husband, John James Sousa, in Calgary, March 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Adam and family accompanied by Miss Lois Mensinger were Calgary visitors over the week-end.

F/Lt. and Mrs. E. Dunn and small son, who have several friends here left for Calgary on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Healey were Calgary visitors on Monday.

Thieves who broke and entered the Thigh Hill school one night last week made away with the school radio and phonograph.

Several ladies of the town gathered one day last week to make a layette for one of the family who lost their belongings in the fire which destroyed Ham's Rendezvous, Monday night. Material for the sewing was donated by the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Fisher are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, March 22nd.

Word has been received here that Ayl Helen Picken of Winnipeg, formerly of Vulcan, is serving as a medical clerk and typist on the staff of Y Pepot, Halifax. Miss Picken is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Picken, one-time residents of Vulcan when Mr. Picken was employed at the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wood, a daughter.

In assessment notices just mailed, it will be noted that some church property (all that except the actual church) is now subject to taxation. For the benefit of our readers who may be concerned, we quote from the assessment act: "Exemptions from Assessments and Taxation. Land held by or for the use of any religious body or which is situated a building chiefly used for divine service or public worship, together with the building but exclusive of any other building thereon."

Pilot Officer Bob Marshall, who is a Flying Instructor at No. 3 S.F.T.S. at Calgary, spent a few days last week visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marshall. Since his return to Calgary, word has been received of his promotion to the rank of Flying Officer.

THANK YOU!

We wish to thank all those good people for the sums of money they so kindly donated to us following the loss of our personal belongings in the Ham's Rendezvous fire. They were most appreciated and we can not thank you enough.

—Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tanasichuk

The following article is copied verbatim from the Calgary Albertan of March 26th: "No. 3 Air Observers' school at Pearce, Alta., will be disbanded and the Station will be taken over by the No. 2 Flying Instructors' School, at present located at Vulcan, it was announced Wednesday at Headquarters, No. 4 Training Command, R.C.A.F. Calgary. Officials who made the announcement said the No. 3 A.O.S., would be gradually disbanded in the near future and would be ready for the No. 2 F.I.S. sometime in May. This station is better suited for an F.I.S. school it was stated."

The ladies of the St. Aldhelm's Guild will hold an Easter tea and miscellaneous table in the church hall, Saturday, April 24th from 3 to 5 p.m. Everyone welcome.

K. Roy McLean—Optometrist and Optician—Regular Visit—Kings Drug Store, Tues., April 13th, 1943, Calgary Office 1015 Southam Bldg., last four days of each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and son, Harry, of Lethbridge, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Shimp and Mrs. Abe Schenck, sister of Mrs. Smith.

A total of \$158.25 was collected to help relieve the families who lost their possessions in the Rendezvous fire. This sum was distributed as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Pete Tanasichuk \$93.25; Cpl. and Mrs. McFarland \$50.00 and Bill Keyes \$15.00. A splendid example how Vulcans support a worthy cause.

Miss Marjorie Lommatzsch was a Calgary visitor over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Taylor entertained at dinner Tuesday evening in honor of Ft. Lt. Stan Sokoloski, who is leaving No. 2 F.I.S. for Montreal today (Wednesday).

Mrs. M. S. Taylor returned home from Vancouver on Saturday.

An Eaton's variety concert party, under the direction of Mr. Halliday presented a concert at No. 2 F.I.S., Sunday night in the recreation hall. There were 29 performers and a band from Calgary.

Of interest to Vulcan friends is the announcement of the coming marriage of Miss Gladys Lorraine Parson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Parson of Northfield, Minnesota, to William Wayne Koeller, son of Mrs. John Deans of Vulcan. Miss Parson has been employed with the North Western Bell Telephone Company at Northfield since moving there with her family a year and one-half ago. Mr. Koeller is employed with the Willamette Shipyard Co. in Portland, Oregon. The wedding will take place in Portland during April.

Word has been received by Mrs. C. R. Robson of the promotion of Captain C. R. Robson to the rank of Major. Congratulations Rusty.

Mrs. Ethel Ferguson was a Nanton visitor last week.

Friends of Miss Elizabeth Fulton will be sorry to learn she is at present confined to the local hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. LaRoche and son Jerry were Macleod visitors Saturday and Sunday. They were accompanied home by little Master David McIntyre who will spend the week here.

Forms are now available at the postoffice for registration of nurses.

Cpl. Jack Price of Brandon is on leave with his family here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Vaughn of Lethbridge, spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Virgil Vaughn.

Mrs. Percy Myers is at present a visitor to Calgary.

Friends of Mr. W. F. Jennijohn will be sorry to hear that he received word of the death of his brother in Wisconsin, recently.

Miss Roberta Todd of Calgary is spending a few weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Todd.

FO. and Mrs. Johnson are being congratulated on the birth of a son on Saturday.

Miss Sybil Fitzpatrick of Calgary was a recent visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Fitzpatrick.

Miss Opal Hanson and Miss Marjorie Synge were Calgary visitors over the week-end.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to my many kind friends in the Vulcan district, for the tribute of goodwill which I recently received. I feel that nothing I could say would be adequate, but I am very grateful and much comforted.

Yours very sincerely

R. P. HAY

A dinner party for Miss Donna West of Mountain View, celebrating her birthday was held at the home of Mrs. C. L. Findlay on Tuesday.

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## Notice of Preparation Of Assessment Roll

TOWN OF VULCAN ASSESSMENT ROLL, 1943

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment Roll of the Town of Vulcan for the year 1943 has been prepared and is now open for inspection at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer from ten o'clock in the forenoon on every day which is not a public holiday, except Saturday, and on that day from ten o'clock in the forenoon until noon; and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said roll or to the assessed value placed upon any property must within thirty days after the date of this notice lodge a complaint in writing with the secretary-treasurer.

Dated this 29th day of March, 1943.

W. A. HOWES, Sec.-Treas.